

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
DUBLIN DIVISION

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
AUGUSTA DIV.

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CHRISTOPHER J. SHAW,

Plaintiff,

v.

CV 317-020

CALHOUN STATE PRISON; GEORGIA
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS;
WARDEN SPRAYBERRY;
SGT. SPENCER; LT. SPENCER; UNIT
MANAGER HOLLOMAN; and
CAPTAIN TOMBS,

Defendants.

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SO. DIST. OF GA.

ORDER

Plaintiff filed this case in the Dublin Division even though all of the named defendants are located in Calhoun County, Georgia, and the events in Plaintiff's complaint allegedly occurred in Calhoun County. (See doc. no. 1.) Because Calhoun County is in the Middle District of Georgia, the proper venue is the Albany Division of the Middle District of Georgia. 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b).

In the interest of justice, instead of dismissing this action, the Court **ORDERS** it **TRANSFERRED** to the Middle District of Georgia, Albany Division. 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a). The Court also **DIRECTS** the Clerk to forward the file to that District.

SO ORDERED this 27th day of April, 2017, at Augusta, Georgia.


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE